

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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12 Day Pre-General Report (10/1/98-10/14/98)

Dear Ms. Anderson:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Please clarify all expenditures made for "media placement - non coordinated" on Schedule H4. If a portion or all of these expenditures were made on behalf of specifically identified federal candidates, this amount should be disclosed on Schedule B or F supporting Line 23 or 25 and include the amount, name, address and office sought by each candidate. 11 CFR §§104.3(b) and 106.1

The limitation on making coordinated expenditures on behalf of a candidate for the 1998 general election is \$32,550 for each House candidate. Your reports, however, disclose coordinated expenditures made on behalf of several House candidates which appear to exceed the limitations under 2 U.S.C. §441a(d) (pertinent portions attached).

If the expenditures in question were incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have made an excessive coordinated expenditure, you should notify the candidate and request a refund of the amount in excess of the limitation.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund request sent to the candidate.